CITY OF MANISTEE PARKS AND BEAUTIFICATION COMMISSION MINUTES

Thursday, March 21, 2013 5:00 P.M.

Members Present: Mark Tomaszewski, Ed Tegler, Roger Zielinski, Lynne Reinhardt, John Rozga

Members Excused: Ben Kubiak, Tudie Rulison, Darci Scott

Also Present: Gary Niesen, Kathie Boyle - City of Manistee

A regular meeting of the Manistee Parks and Beautification Commission was held on Thursday, March 21, 2013 at City Hall – 2nd floor conference room. Meeting was called to order by Chair Tegler at 5:00 p.m.

Approval of Minutes. **Motion** by Rozga, **second** by Tomaszewski to accept the minutes of February 21, 2013 and place on file.

Ayes Tomaszewski, Tegler, Zielinski, Rozga, Reinhardt

Nays None

Motion approved.

A moment of silence from members for Mr. Richard Knechtges – the community has lost a good man. Tegler updated the commission on the recent health issues of Darci Scott. Boyle has "Get Well" card for members to sign.

UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

Update on Round-About – Meeting has been scheduled for March 22, 2013 @ 11:00 a.m. at the Chamber Office. Reinhardt will attend.

Up-date on First Street Beach (Rocket Park) – application will be submitted. Sinclair will be installing the new playground equipment. Rotary Club has volunteered to move two pieces of playground equipment – one going to Mac Park and the other to Duffy Park.

Park Evaluation Report – Tegler updated commission on meeting held with the City Manager on March 19, 2013.

NEW BUSINESS

None

DISCUSSION

"Adopt a Park" idea introduced by Rulison at September 20, 2012 meeting. Zielinski mentioned that other communities use inmates from the County Jail; Rozga stated the Boy Scouts are a valuable group that also volunteers their time to help the community.

Discussed email from the City Manager dated March 21, 2013 regarding the P & B Commission taking a lead role in scheduling community work days. Fish Cleaning Station – Commission did not review plans, advise or recommend.

CORRESPONDENCE

None

COMMENTS

None

Motion byRozgai, second by Tomaszewski to adjourn at 6:20 p.m.

Next meeting date -Thursday, April 18 2013 @ 5:00 p.m. - 2nd floor conference room.

Respectfully submitted,

Kathie Boyle Recording Secretary

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